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In Re U.S. Patent Application of: Robert J. Antonellis)
For:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ORDER OPTIMIZATION)

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Dear Sirs:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following documents:

- X Specification, Claims and Abstract (74 pages).
- X Formal Drawing containing 16 pages (Figs. 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B, 3, 4A, 4B, 5-13).
- X Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- X Credit Card Payment form in the total amount of \$2,230.00 which includes the filing fee covering basic small entity (\$385.00), 225 claims total, 205 claims in excess of 20 (\$1,845.00), and 2 independent claims.

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